

## ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

A printing apparatus employing a bubble jet (a registered trademark) capable of maintaining at all times conditions of ink at and around a discharge port suitable for discharge without performing a predischARGE or the like involving an interruption of a printing operation is provided. The printing apparatus supplies the electrothermal energy converting element with such an electrical energy that generates a bubble to the extent that ink droplets are discharged from the nozzle.